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THE ONTARIO LAW LIST and Solicitors' Agency Book. 9th edition. Toronto: J. Rordans & Co., 1882.

This little book is so useful, not to say indispensable, to the profession that it certainly deserves a short notice, now that it has broken out in a fresh place, in the form of a new edition. The present edition commences with a short essay on the main characteristics of the novelties in practice introduced by the Judicature Act, which is well worth reading. Amongst other things, also, it comprises a Manitoba Law List, giving the firm names, and also the roll of Manitoban barristers and attorneys, alphabetically arranged. It would be well if Messrs. Rordans, in their next edition, followed the same plan with the Ontario lawyers, and gave not only the firm names, but also a complete alphabetical list of all Ontario barristers and solicitors. Without that it is sometimes a little troublesome to find out a country practitioner unless you happen to know beforehand exactly the town or village where he practices. Again, should you know no more than that you wish to communicate with a certain lawyer of the name of "Smith," who practices somewhere in the country, but you do not happen to know where, or his initials, it may be desirable to be able to find out if there is more than one "Smith" practising in Ontario.

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